

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO

AMIGOS BRAVOS, COMMON GROUND  
UNITED, NATURAL RESOURCES DEFENSE  
COUNCIL, OIL AND GAS ACCOUNTABILITY  
PROJECT, a project of Earthworks, SAN JUAN  
CITIZENS ALLIANCE, and SOUTHWEST  
ENVIRONMENTAL CENTER,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

No. CIV 09-37 RB/LFG

UNITED STATES BUREAU OF LAND  
MANAGEMENT, LINDA S.C. RUNDELL,  
in her official capacity as State Director of the  
Bureau of Land Management, and KEN  
SALAZAR, in his official capacity as Secretary  
of the United States Department of the Interior,

Defendants,

INDEPENDENT PETROLEUM  
ASSOCIATION OF NEW MEXICO,

Intervenor/Defendant.

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WILDEARTH GUARDIANS, DINÉ CARE,  
and CARSON FOREST WATCH,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

No. CIV 09-414 WJ/LAM

UNITED STATES BUREAU OF LAND  
MANAGEMENT and UNITED STATES  
FOREST SERVICE,

Defendants.

**ORDER ADOPTING MAGISTRATE JUDGE'S REPORT  
AND RECOMMENDATION ON MOTION TO CONSOLIDATE CASES**

THIS MATTER came before the Court on the Magistrate Judge's Report and  
Recommendation [Doc. 50 in Civ. 09-37 RB/LFG; Doc. 36 in Civ. 09-414 WJ/LAM] on Motion to

Consolidate Cases. No party filed objections and the deadline for doing so has passed. The Court accepts the analysis and recommended disposition.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the Report and Recommendation of the United States Magistrate Judge are adopted by the Court.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Defendants' Motion to Consolidate Related Cases [Doc. 30 in Civ. 09-37 RB/LFG] is granted, that Cause Nos. Civ. 09-37 RB/LFG and Civ. 09-414 WJ/LAM be consolidated for all matters at issue in the two actions, and that all further pleadings in these matters be filed and docketed under Cause No. Civ. 09-37 RB/LFG. A new briefing schedule applicable to the consolidated cases will be issued by separate Order.



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ROBERT C. BRACK  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE